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Hon. F. K. Lane,

Department of Interior,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Lane:

I understand that the Secretary of the Canadian Club of Toronto has written to you asking you if possible to come to Toronto and address the Canadian Club at some time during the approaching winter. You may remember that you were kind enough to allow me to call upon you last July when I spoke to you about this invitation. I do not need to assure you again that if it is possible for you to come to Toronto your visit will be highly appreciated and that a large number of the citizens of Toronto will esteem it a great privilege to have the opportunity of hearing you. As I have already expressed to you my own hope in the matter I do not need to repeat any personal solicitation on behalf of the Canadian Club.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

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THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
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November 16, 1917.

My dear Dr. Falconer:

I sincerely appreciate your invitation to speak before the Canadian Club at Toronto, but I have made up my mind that owing to the number of matters demanding my constant attention I must decline all invitations to speak for some time to come.

Sincerely yours,

Franklin K. Lane

Dr. Robert A. Falconer,
President, University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont.